PROCLAMATION

BY THE

Cobernor of the State of Texas

41-2562

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14 of the Texas Constitution, I, Ann W. Richards, Governor of Texas, do hereby veto H.B. 1862 because of the following objections:

This bill would prohibit any requirement that an individual pass an examination to renew a license to practice a business, occupation, or profession. It would also allow a person to renew an expired license without an examination if it had been expired for less than two years.

This bill was originally intended to change licensing renewal requirements for two licensing agencies. It is now so broad that it changes requirements for most professional licensing acts. These laws and regulations have been adopted by the Texas Legislature or by the licensing boards after much careful examination and study. The sweeping range of the changes in this bill were neither debated by the Legislature nor recommended by the Sunset Commission for the numerous licensing acts renewed by the 73rd Legislature.

The Secretary of State will take notice of this action and will notify the members of the Legislature.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and cause the Seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this day of June, 1993.

Ann W. Richard Governor of Te

> FILES WITHE GFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

7:30 p.m. nclock

Secretary of State